

**→**A Task Force Spartan Soldier was injured in a fall on 13 APR 06 at 1636 local in Afghanistan. The Soldier was on dismounted patrol and fell approximately 20 feet over a small cliff.

► A 4th BCT. 4th ID Soldier was injured in a fall on 13 APR 06 at 1900 local in Iraq. The Soldier was putting a canvas over a trailer when he fell eight feet to the ground. The Soldier sustained a fractured left ankle.

► A 463rd Engineer Battalion (USAR) Soldier was killed in POV accident while not in reserve status on 14 APR 06 at 0600 local near Lexington, KY. While driving his vehicle and attempting to make a left turn, the Soldier's vehicle was side swiped and pushed off the road way.

**→**A Multi-National Corps. Iraq Soldier was injured by a negligent discharge on 15 APR 06 at 0800 local at Udari, Kuwait, The Soldier shot himself in the left foot while clearing his weapon after leaving a range.

**COST: 1 Soldier Injured** 

► A 2nd BCT. 4th ID Soldier was injured by a negligent discharge on 15 APR 06 at 0900 local in Iraq. The Soldier was clearing a weapon when it discharged resulting in a gun shot wound to the face with shrapnel in the brain.

**COST: 1 Soldier Injured** 

→ A 214th Field Artillery Brigade, III Corps Artillery, Ft Sill Soldier was killed in a motorcycle accident on 15 April 2006 at 2130 local in Tulsa, OK. The Soldier was test driving a 2004 Honda CBR motorcycle prior to buying it from a friend. He was following his friend riding another bike when he fell behind on a four lane road and attempted to catch up. A 1996 Nissan sedan traveling in the opposite direction turned left in front of him. The Soldier attempted to stop by applying brakes and stood the bike up briefly on the front wheel catapulting him into the right side of the vehicle. He was taken to a local medical center where he later died as a result of his injuries. He did not have a motorcycle license, had not completed Motorcycle Safety Foundation training, and was not wearing a DOT approved

helmet. Speed was a factor. COST: 1 Soldier Killed

► A 1st BCT. 3rd ID Soldier was killed in a motorcycle accident on 18 April 2006 at 0015 local in Hinesville, GA. The Soldier was riding with a civilian female passenger on a Honda CBR 600 motorcycle he had purchased the prior week. The Soldier attempted to negotiate a curve. lost control, and ran off the road. He was not wearing his helmet because he gave it to his passenger who received minor injures. The Soldier was transported to the local medical center where he later died as a result of severe head trauma. The Soldier had just received a Safety Briefing from his commander at a unit formation covering motorcycle safety and procurement prior to purchasing the motorcycle. He had not attended the Motorcycle Safety Foundation training and speed was a factor.

**COST: 1 Soldier Killed** 

Four 3rd COSCOM Soldiers

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were injured on 19 APR 06 at 0510 local in Iraq. The Soldiers were the gunner, TC and passengers of an Armored Personnel Carrier on a convoy traveling at 40 mph when the vehicle went over a median causing the vehicle to rollover.

**COST:** 4 Soldier Injured 1 Armored Personnel **Carrier damaged** 

Two 2nd BCT, 4th ID Soldiers were injured on 19 APR 06 at 1116 local in Irag. The Soldiers were the TC and driver of an up-armored M1074 PLS (Palletized Loading System) as part of a convoy. The vehicle made a right turn causing it to roll. **COST: 2 Soldiers Injured** 

1 M1074 PLS damaged





